

Big Bend National Park

Daily Report – Sunday, January 18, 2015



Weather Forecast :

Today..... Sunny with winds from the southwest at 10-15 mph. Mountain highs around 60, river highs low 70s.

Tonight..... Mostly clear with winds from the southwest at 10-15 mph. Overnight lows 33-40.

Tomorrow Sunny with winds from the west around 10 mph. Mountain highs low 60s, river highs mid 70s. Overnight lows 35-42.

Extended Tue-Sat: Sunny to cloudy with a chance of rain and snow Wednesday and Thursday. Highs: low 40s - low 70s Lows: upper 20s - upper 30s

Sunset tonight: 6:19 p.m. Sunrise tomorrow: 7:47 a.m.

Fire Danger

In the Chisos Mountains: Low

Panther Junction/Foothills: Low

Temperatures and Precipitation

	Temperatures – Last 24 hours				Precipitation		
	Elevation	High	Low	8 AM	24 Hours	Month	Year
Panther Junction	3750'	65	42	43	0.00	0.86	0.86
Chisos Basin	5400'	57	38	43	0.00	0.24	0.24
Rio Grande Village	1850'	74	36	36	0.00	0.16	0.16
Castolon	2170'	---	---	---	---	---	---
Persimmon Gap	2970'	68	28	42	0.00	0.47	0.47
Lajitas	2340'	71	37	37	0.00	0.83	0.83

River Levels

	Flood Stage	Today	Yesterday
Presidio International Bridge	15.50	4.08 ft / 78 cfs	4.29 ft / 141 cfs
Castolon	15.50	3.11 ft / 138 cfs	2.96 ft / 115 cfs
Johnson's Ranch	15.50	5.21 ft / 229 cfs	5.20 ft / 226 cfs
Rio Grande Village	13.00	3.40 ft / 120 cfs	3.41 ft / 123 cfs
Dryden Crossing	59.00	5.13 ft / 505 cfs	5.16 ft / 515 cfs

Current Park Conditions:

Due to rock fall, stock use is prohibited on the Laguna Meadow Trail.

Vehicle Break-ins - Due to vehicle break-ins at the Dominguez trailhead area and Talley area, visitors are strongly advised not to leave any vehicles unattended at those locations. This advisory includes the Talley road, river access, car camping sites and the nearby section of River Road.